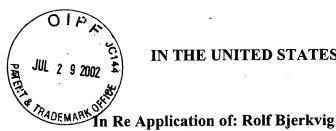
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	A Preliminary Amendment.
\boxtimes	An Amendment Responsive to the Office Action Dated March 29, 2002.
	An Amendment Supplemental to the Paper filed
	Other:
	Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.
	Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37
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	□ a Small Business Concern □ a Nonprofit Organization					
	This application is no longer entitled to small entity status. It is requested that this be noted in the files of the Patent and Trademark Office.					
	Substitute Pages of the Specification are enclosed.					
	An Abstract is enclosed.					
	Sheets of Proposed Corrected Drawings are enclosed.					
	A Certified Copy of each of the following applications: is enclosed.					
	An Associate Power of Attorney is enclosed.	•.				
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SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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